



WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

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Greetings Explorer Families,

I hope you and your family are enjoying a safe and relaxing summer break. As we prepare for the 2025–2026 school year, I'm excited to share some important updates. Our team has been working hard to build a welcoming and supportive environment where every student can succeed and look forward to learning each day.

Bell Schedule/Attendance

Students will be allowed to enter the building each day beginning at 8:45 a.m. Instruction will begin promptly at 9:15 a.m., so it is essential that all students arrive on time and are present each day to maximize learning. Dismissal will take place at 3:45 p.m., and all carpool students must be picked up no later than 4:15 p.m.

Please see [Wake County Attendance Policy](#)

Parent/Student Handbook

Please take a moment to review the updated student handbook, as it includes important changes to some of our school's processes and procedures. These updates reflect adjustments we've made to enhance the structure and daily operations within our building.

Open House

Open House is a valuable opportunity for you to meet your child's teacher and learn more about the upcoming school year. You'll have the chance to engage in one-on-one conversations, discuss the curriculum, and ask any questions you may have. Open House will take place on **July 17th from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.**

Meet The Teacher

Join us for "Meet the Teacher" Night on **August 7th from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.** During this event, your child's teacher will share course expectations and strategies for success. It's also a great opportunity to receive an early update on your child's progress and ask any questions you may have.



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Supply List

Please review your child's [supply list](#) for the upcoming school year. The supply list is organized by grade levels. Please feel free to reach out to the grade level administrator if you have any questions and/or concerns. Y. Croom, ycroom@wcpss.net, Kindergarten through 2nd grade. O. Anderson, oanderson@wcpss.net, 3rd grade through 5th grade.

School Calendar

Please save the 2025-2026 [school calendar](#).

Transportation

Any questions that you may have regarding transportation for the 2025-2026 school year, please visit this website. [WCPSS Transportation Website](#).

PTA Information

PTA will be present during "Meet the Teacher". Please stop by to get information regarding the upcoming school year and membership.